# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

RUSS GODFREY and	)
NATALIE GODFREY,	)
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Plaintiffs,	)
	)
v.	) Case No.: CIV-19-329-JD
	)
CSAA FIRE & CASUALTY	)
INSURANCE COMPANY,	)
a foreign corporation,	)
	)
Defendants.	)

# DEFENDANT'S OBJECTION TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO SCHEDULE SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE

The Defendant, CSAA Fire & Casualty Insurance Company ("CSAA"), respectfully objects to Plaintiffs' request to schedule a Settlement Conference in the above case. In support hereof, CSAA advises the Court:

- On this date, CSAA has delivered or will deliver to Plaintiffs' counsel a Rule
   Offer of Judgment. CSAA is unwilling at this time to negotiate above that number.
- 2. For the same reason, CSAA requests to be excused from mediation in this case.

  CSAA has or will make a reasonable offer of judgment on this date an offer not intended to serve as an invitation to further negotiate.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant, CSAA, respectfully objects to Plaintiffs' Motion to set this case for Settlement Conference, and further requests this Court excuse this Defendant from mediation, as well.

#### Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on January 30, 2020, I electronically transmitted the attached document to the Clerk of Court using the ECF System for filing. Based on the records currently on file, the Clerk of Court will transmit a Notice of Electronic Filing to the following ECF registrants:

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